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- 2. The hearing on this matter, in which I sought authority to sell the estate's interest in the property commonly referred to as the working interest in Hangman Hollow, took place on August 10, 2022.
- 3. The original offer to purchase was from Trio Petroleum LLC ("Trio") in the amount of \$10,000. At hearing, Trio did not enter a higher bid and the Court conducted a competitive bidding process between Genautica Oil and Prudent Resources. After bidding, Prudent Resources was authorized to purchase the subject property for \$101,000. The Court authorized the sale to Genautica Oil for \$86,000 as a back up bid.
- 4. Both Genautica Oil and Prudent Resources did not complete the sale. Both buyers have expressed their unawareness of pre-existing liens and encumbrances against the property.
- 5. Trio Petroleum is willing to purchase the subject property "as is".
- 6. The Trustee intends on keeping the deposits of both Genautica Oil and Prudent Resources and has advised them to seek relief from the Court' order by way of separate motion if they believe they are entitled to a refund.
- 7. The Court's order did not include authorization to sell to the original bidder.

 I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct and that this declaration was executed on November ______, 2022, at Bakersfield, California

Jeffrey M. Vetter